PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the desire for world peace is a cherished goal of people everywhere; and,

WHEREAS, the United States of America is a leading proponent of this desire for peace; and,

WHEREAS, this supreme aim requires a high degree of moral rectitude and justice in social and administrative activities, and complete freedom from prejudice in dealing with people of different race, class, creed and color; and,

WHEREAS, the Baha'is of the State of South Dakota are joining in the national observance of World Peace Day:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, September 19, 1971 as

WORLD PEACE DAY

in the State of South Dakota in the hope that this will stimulate the consciousness of Americans everywhere toward the need for the immediate establishment of world peace, and will emphasize the position that America is destined to play in this realization.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota in Pierre, the Capital City, this 9th day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-one.

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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